NONPROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attorney Docket No.: 116641 OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC P.O. Box 19928 Alexandria, Virginia 22320 Date: September 22, 2003 Telephone: (703) 836-6400 Facsimile: (703) 836-2787 MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL Customer Number: 25944 **RULE §1.53(b)** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application CONTROL SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE For (Title): HAVING VARIABLE VALVE ACTUATION SYSTEM Naohide FUWA By (Inventors): \boxtimes Formal drawings (Figs. 1-6; 5 sheets) are attached. Use Figure ____ for front page of Publication.

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This patent application is assigned to TOYOTA JIDOSHA KABUSHIKI KAISHA. The executed Assignment is filed herewith. An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith. Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted. A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith. Priority of foreign application No. 2002-281024 filed September 26, 2002 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119). A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith.

This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. \boxtimes The filing fee is calculated below: CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF OTHER THAN A ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE **SMALL ENTITY**

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